FORM PTO-1390 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE P/4393-13 (REV. 2-2005) U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) TRANSMITTAL [bmm1]LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES **10/5**35590 DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A [bmm2]SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. 19 November 2002 PCT/FR2003/003324 6 November 2003 TITLE OF INVENTION LIQUEFIED GAS TRANSFER INSTALLATION AND USE THEREOF APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Philippe ESPINASSE Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: 1. [X] This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. [X] This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 4. [X] The US has been elected (Article 31). 5. [X] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) a. [ ] is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. [X] has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. [ ] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. [X] An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. [X] is attached hereto. b. [ ] has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 7. [X] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) a. [ ] are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. [ ] have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. [ ] have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. [X] have not been made and will not be made. 8. [ ] An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. [X] An (Executed) oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. [ ] An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11 to 20 below concern other document(s) or information included: 11. [ ] An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. [X] An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. [X] A preliminary amendment. 14. [ ] An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76 15. [ ] A substitute specification. 16. [ ] A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. 17. [ ] A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821-1.825. 18. [ ] A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 19. [ ] A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 20. [X] Other items or information (specify): I sheet of drawings; EFS form; postcard; Copy of publication; PTO 1449 with references; Inventor Designation Sheet; Copy of International Preliminary Examination Report EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE

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